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P. O. Box 9790
Kansas City, Missouri 64134-0790

Aventis Pharmaceuticals



June 20, 2000

Dear Sir or Madam:

The attached is a copy of the Wire Transfer Confirmation that was sent on June 20, 2000 for \$100,000.00 to the Department Of Justice.

On the wire we were to reference the following: USAO File No. 2000V0070, U. S. EPA Region V, Site/Spill ID No. 0573, and DOJ Case No. 90-11-3-1620.

Our company was number 36 (Merrell Pharmaceuticals Inc.) on Skinner Landfill-Appendix G List of Settling De Minimis Parties.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara J. Friel".

Barbara J. Friel
Accounts Payable Coordinator

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MERRELL DOW PHARM INC

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